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REPUBLICANS' RECKLESS SPENDING PLAN WOULD COST NORTH DAKOTA JOBS AND MAKE NORTH DAKOTA COMMUNITIES LESS SAFE

There is no disagreement that we need to cut spending. We believe that we need to do it in a responsible way so that we live within our means and can invest in the future, out-building, out-educating, and out-innovating our competitors in the world economy. But as the economy continues to recover from the deepest recession in a generation, we cannot afford to make dramatic and indiscriminate cuts that would undermine North Dakota jobs and public safety. The reckless Republican spending plan would do just that - an estimated 2,000 North Dakota jobs would be lost if H.R. 1 is enacted into law, and thousands of North Dakota families would be less safe.

REPUBLICAN SPENDING PLAN WOULD DESTROY NORTH DAKOTA JOBS

- Independent, non-partisan analysis has found that H.R. 1 will cut 700,000 jobs through 2012, with North Dakota set to lose more than 2,000 jobs.
- More than 230 community health center jobs will be eliminated in North Dakota if the House-passed bill is enacted.
- A \$14.1 million federal transportation grant to help construct a grade separated pass to ease traffic near the Minot Air Force Base, creating jobs and boosting the local economy, would be eliminated.

REPUBLICAN SPENDING PLAN WOULD HURT EDUCATION IN NORTH DAKOTA, MAKE NORTH DAKOTA'S WORKFORCE LESS COMPETITIVE

- Under H.R.1, the average North Dakota undergraduate with Pell college tuition assistance will see their assistance cut by more than \$700.
- More than 550 North Dakota children will lose access to Head Start, an early education program that is proven to help students complete high school.
- North Dakota could lose upwards of \$5 million in job training investments under H.R.1, which would impact approximately 51,000 potential North Dakota workers.

REPUBLICAN SPENDING PLAN WILL MAKE NORTH DAKOTA LESS SAFE

- H.R. 1 reduces Byrne Justice Grants for North Dakota by \$300,000.
- H.R. 1 reduces North Dakota's homeland security investments by nearly \$800,000, hurting local law enforcement's ability to keep North Dakotans safe.